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TRADEMARK OFFICE
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

Hirokazu IGUCHI et al.

Group Art Unit: 1713

Serial No. 09/700,171

Examiner: Rip A. Lee

Filed: November 13, 2000

For: VINYL CHLORIDE RESIN COMPOSITION AND MOLDED OBJECT COMPRISING
THE SAME

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Date: May 24, 2002

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated January 22, 2002 for **three** months from **February 26, 2002 to May 28, 2002** (**May 27, 2002 is a holiday**).

Attached please find a check in the amount of **\$920.00** cover the cost of the extension. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340. This paper is filed in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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